

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Group: 2874 Confirmation No: 7497

Application No.: 10/037,971 Examiner: Not yet assigned

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For: *Fiber Array with V-Groove Chip and Mount*

703-305-8825 1-5-03 CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

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PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Decision Refusing Status under 37 CFR 1.47(a) dated December 4, 2002 issued in the above-identified application. Please extend the due date for response for three months, from February 4, 2003 to May 4, 2003. A credit card authorization form in the amount of \$465.00 to cover the three month extension fee is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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